IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the first full paragraph on page 6 with the following:

An envelope device is made from a four layer laminate comprising, from the outside to the inside, paper/polyethylene/aluminum foil/polyethylene. Both polyethylene layers are low density polyethylene, where the printed layer has a thickness of about 1.5 mils and the other layer has a thickness fo of about 0.5 mils. The foil is aluminum foil having a thickness of about .0003 inch. The paper is bleached Kraft paper and has a basis weight of 76 pounds per ream, and a thickness of 5.4 mils. The outer surface 330 of the paper is printed as shown in Fig. 1. The outwardly facing surface 331 of the inner layer 330 of polyethylene is printed as shown in Fig. 3. The printing is effected with a flood coating process using red colored type ink for the background, with the black biohazard being printed with black ink. Preferably substantially the entire surface 331 is printed so that no matter where the envelope 100 is opened, the printed indicia is visible.

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